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SENSITIVE PROPERTIES BY APPLICATION OF AN ELECTRIC  
FIELD

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Sir:

**FIRST PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Please amend the application as follows: